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ANSWER MADE TO JUDGE CLARK OF KONA

No Profit Is Promised the Public and Nothing Is Conceded in the Matter.

With reference to an interview with Judge Clark of Kona, Hawaii, relative to a certain business enterprise recently floated in his district, the Bulletin has been furnished with the following additional information, which is willingly given to the public. It is in the form of a memorandum from a gentleman interested in the enterprise:

"Mr. Clark certainly did not know that the coffee of three crops, all the house furniture and furnishings and personal property of the principal in the enterprise, and certain valuable documents not mentioned in the showing which he assumed, are included with the estate that was sold."

"The seller of the land was the only purchaser of the stock, and no stock has been offered to the public. Cash has since been offered for the unknown shares by one who knows all about the institution and has been declined."

"The public was taken so far into confidence as to be informed that no shareholder is to profit personally by investing, all the proceeds of shares being, by agreement of the stockholders, devoted to the charitable purposes of the enterprise."

"The case being altered after the case."

Homes for People of Moderate Means

Immediately after the completion of the Pacific Heights electric substation, Bruce Waring & Co. will open up 25 to 30 acres on the slopes toward Puna. The tract will be sold in lots at from \$500 to \$1000 apiece. It is intended thus to make homes in pleasant places for citizens of moderate means.

RUSHING HILO RAILWAY

"Work on the Hilo railway is progressing rapidly," a stockholder said this afternoon. "It is expected to reach Puna by the end of this year. We shall soon begin the construction of a branch to reach the Oahu homesites, in the direction of the Waimea."

Police in Court.

The case of Omae Wairine, Puna, charged with assault and battery on Sophia Lucas, a countrywoman, was tried in the Police Court this forenoon, and the defendant discharged on account of lack of evidence, the defense not putting on a single witness. Attorney Straus appeared for the defendant.

The woman herself was the only witness for the prosecution. She testified to having gone into Wairine's room and drinking three glasses of wine with him. As she was leaving the room, the man caught hold of her skirt. This she deemed an assault.

Judge Wilcox said that a married woman who went into a man's room and drank three glasses of wine with him, put herself in a position to be treated in the manner she was.

Youthful Thieves.

Three Portuguese boys were arrested by Detective Kampa this forenoon on the charge of larceny in the second degree. They were caught red handed stealing wood from a pile in Chinatown and transferring it to a hand car in the rear of the ruins of Kamehameha church. It seems that the boys have been in this business for some time.

Dance at Moanalua.

Invitations have been sent out for an At Home at the country place of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Damon, Moanalua, Thursday evening, August 8, 1880, complimentary to Miss Alice Wall and Frederic C. Smith. There will be dancing. Trains will leave for Moanalua at 8 and 8:30 o'clock and will return to the city at 12 and 1 o'clock.

Boxers Not in Force.

Washington, July 25.—Mr. McCorian charge here, took to the State Department this morning a despatch from his government denying positively the published statements that the Boxer movement had extended to Korea or that any Chinese Boxers had crossed the Corsean frontier.

THE WATERMAN IDEAL FOUNTAIN PEN. All sizes, all shapes. **H. WICHMAN.**

WELCOME HOME

Small Crowd With Little Enthusiasm Meets Tammanyites.

JOHN E. WISE CONFESSES BENEFACTION

John E. Bush Has His Work of All Sorts of Trust in Hawaii and Says They Are Republicans.

There was not a crowded house and there was not much enthusiasm at the Democratic welcome to the delegates returned from Kansas City last night.

Col. C. J. McCarthy, chairman of the Territorial Central Committee, presided. With him on the platform were Col. W. H. Cornwell, Prime David McNamee, John E. Wise, Col. John E. Holt, E. H. McNamee, Delegates John E. Bush, Charles Creighton and Secretary Edmund Hart.

Mr. Wise was the first speaker. He devoted his oration chiefly to a refutation of press stories representing that the Democrats had not treated the Hawaiian delegates quite nicely.

Discussing national politics he represented the Democratic party as that of the people and the Republican as that of the money power. He said that W. G. Smith and A. S. Harwell were sent to Washington by the Republican government of Hawaii to deprive native Hawaiians of the franchise. Mr. Wise was hardly up to the mark here in making any of these bonds in Honolulu. In fact, I believe that none will be placed here."

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OAHU BOND FLOATING EPIDEMIC OF TYPHOID ATTORNEY DAVIS DEFENDS HIMSELF

BILLINGHAM MEETS WITH GOOD SUCCESS

Story of Stock Deal With Bondholders Is Denied—\$75,000 Ready to Be Put Into San Francisco.

There was a story about on the streets this morning that Oahu bonds to the amount of \$125,000 had been floated by R. P. Billingham in San Francisco and Honolulu—\$100,000 in the former and \$25,000 in the latter place. The rumor further had it that the basis upon which these bonds were placed was that at any time within the next two years the bondholders might take up their stock at par. One authorized to speak was seen this morning about the story and this is what he had to say:

"The story about the bondholders taking up stock at par any time within the next two years is perfectly nonsense as far as the plantation is concerned. Of course, Mr. Billingham, the other big holders or the agents might do something of that kind on their own hook to help the plantation out of it, I know nothing."

"As to bonds, the Oahu Sugar Co. yesterday authorized the floating of \$250,000 worth as already published in your paper. Now this is what Mr. Billingham is trying to float in New York and San Francisco and, from what we learned by the last steamer he has the very best prospects of placing this amount. I think at least \$75,000 worth will be floated in San Francisco. Perhaps the whole amount may be. No, I have heard nothing of placing any of these bonds in Honolulu. In fact, I believe that none will be placed here."

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LINEN CENTERPIECES.

Devalent Hotel street, is offering a new line of linen centerpieces for tables, embroidered in fancy colors.

The longest sentence on record—Imprisonment for life.

DEEDS OF DARING BY YANKEE FIGHTERS

Hien Tain, Saturday, July 28.—(via Chefoo, July 28 and Shanghai, July 25.)—The Ninth Regiment, United States Infantry, entered the fight at Hien Tain with 400 men. An incomplete list of casualties shows eighteen killed, 75 wounded and two missing. The natives had four killed and 18 wounded. First Lieutenant Henry Leonard of the Marine Corps carried Lieutenant Butler from the field under a fire. He was shot in the upper left arm while returning, but ran and swam a mile under fire getting to the rear. His arm was amputated today.

Captain Charles E. Nease, who had been slightly wounded in the arm and leg, swam a mile with only his nose above water with a sponge for ministrations.

First Lieutenant Lewis E. Lawton of the Ninth Infantry made a dash for reinforcements under fire and received three slight wounds. Colonel Lucas was shot in the abdomen and died half an hour later. His last words were: "Keep up firing."

The Ninth was ordered to support the Japanese who were retreating on entrenching the fort. After crossing a mud wall half a mile from the city wall, the Ninth shifted advanced against the bastions and planted a searchlight the river at the northern corner of the city. A body of Chinese in the ruined village under the wall just across the river, where they were

RECEIVING STATION GIRLS TAKEN ILL

One Died Yesterday and Five More Are Sick—Removal to the Kaliki Camp.

An epidemic of typhoid fever has struck the Kaliki receiving station and the direct cause for the appearance of the disease at that place is one of the knotty problems that the Board of Health now has in hand to solve. The fever struck the place suddenly a few days since with the result that one of the native girls at the station died yesterday morning and five more are on the sick list. Considering the fact that there are only twenty girls in all at the station, this proportion is to say the least, alarming.

Yesterday afternoon, the three Sisters in charge and the girls were all removed to the hospital of the Kaliki detention camp, the sick being placed in one of the buildings and the others in the other. A trained nurse will probably be sent out today to attend the sick.

From whence the typhoid fever epidemic at the station sprung is a most question. The water used there is the same as that used by the other people living in the vicinity, flowing as it does from one of the government mains. If this proves to be the source, then it is about time that people, therefore careless with the preparation of their drinking water, should begin to have a care. However, it is likely that the cause will be found on the ground.

There has been quite a lot of typhoid fever of late. Several cases were reported last month. It will be remembered that two of these were from Palolo valley. Both victims of the disease succumbed to its ravages.

At Japanese Church.

There was a very interesting special meeting at the Japanese church, Nauau street, after the regular prayer meeting last night. On that occasion, the new members of the church were given a hearty welcome. Speeches were made by various Japanese. Miss Tallant, who has spent twenty-five years in Japan, made an address in Japanese. This lady is now assisting in mission work in Honolulu. After a visit of several months to the States, she will return to her home in Japan. There were nearly a hundred Japanese present at the meeting, among the number being Dr. T. Mitamura, Dr. T. Kasumama and Mrs. Kishimoto. The chairman of the meeting was T. Fukita.

John A. Hassinger, former Chief Clerk of the Interior Department, and Mrs. Hassinger, were passengers in the steamer for San Francisco today. They are bound for the springs in California and expect to be away about six months.

DEFENDS HIMSELF

He Claims That Notary Public Law Is Unconstitutional.

SUPREME COURT GIVES DECISION

The Bohneberg Win Suit Against the Zimmermanns—Mrs. Rebecca Dodd Gets Diamond Suit.

Go. A. Davis, attorney, has been personally summoned before the District Court for acting as a notary public without having been appointed as such by the Attorney General of this Territory as required by the Act of Congress of the United States.

Mr. Davis is ready with pleas in the event of his demurrer being overruled, in which he says:

"That on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1890, said Act took effect and was in full force and the notaries public appointed by a foreign government ceased to hold office and they cannot be held to answer for any alleged violation of the penal code of Hawaii."

"That the Act, a violation of which is charged, requiring a license is retrospective and can have no force and effect as to appointments made before the passage of said Act."

"That the appointment of notaries public at the time said appointment of this defendant was made was a position of honor and of trust, vested in the Minister of the interior of the now annihilated Republic of Hawaii, and the Act requiring the said notaries to obtain a license was and is unconstitutional and void."

Chief Justice Frear is author of an opinion of the Supreme Court, in which S. M. Ballou and W. L. Stanley sat as substitute Justices on the case of Anna and A. Zimmerman vs. John Bohneberg, his wife Emma and Gen. Erdick. It was a bill and a cross bill, the former to cancel a deed and the latter for delivery of the deed.

The decree of the Circuit Judge of the Fourth Circuit appealed from, sustaining the bill and dismissing the cross bill, is reversed and the case remitted to the Circuit Judge of the Fourth Circuit with directions to dismiss the bill and enter a decree in accordance with the prayer of the cross bill and for such other proceedings as may be proper. The law of the case is thus stated:

"The time agreed upon for the payment of the balance of the purchase price of certain land is held under the circumstances not to be of the essence of the contract."

Chas. Creighton and W. S. Wise for the Bohnebergs, who win the case; J. T. De Bolt for the Zimmermanns.

M. Suzuki has sued Hiram Parry for \$150, as rent of the schooner Rob Roy.

The bill to cancel a deed brought by Samuel Kea against John Hapa and Kapali has been dismissed by verbal decision in the Circuit Court at chambers.

L. H. Dee by his attorney, T. McNamee Stewart, moves for leave to sell milch cows of J. C. Riordan's estate, of which he is temporary administrator.

Judge Silliman has decreed that Robert W. Cathcart, executor of Jas. Dodd's will, shall deliver a diamond stud to Mrs. Rebecca Dodd.

Kapika Lakeia petitions for probate of the will of J. W. Haape, and that she be appointed guardian of three of his minor children, a brother of testator named as executor in the will having deceased.

Call on Governor.

The Republican delegates to the National Convention in Philadelphia called on Governor Dole this morning.

Judge M. M. Estee at the Capitol, but could not see the Governor on account of having made no appointment.

Professor Studebaker of the Agricultural Department, Washington, was received by Governor Dole and spent some time with him.

Passenger for Kauai.

The following are booked to leave Kauai in the W. G. Hall this afternoon: Mrs. Arnold and two children, Miss Whittington, Miss McNamee, Frank Wilson, K. Omura, J. H. Gedge, G. D. Malone and son, J. H. Mason and wife, Master Gerald King, Russell King, Mrs. C. H. Deader, Mrs. W. G. Moody, K. Kawamoto, D. K. Metzger and T. Nagoya.

MYSTERY OF AORANGI

AGENTS REFUSE TO GIVE OUT INFORMATION

Steamer Said to Have Orders From Home Office to Pass Honolulu By—Officials Confer.

Something is wrong with the Aorangi but what it is could not be fully learned even after consulting the Quarantine Officer, the pilot and the man from T. H. Davies & Co., who with the officers mentioned, boarded the steamer when she arrived off port from the Colonies this morning.

The pilot boat went out early but did not return until about 12 noon. In the meantime, the Aorangi had cast anchor off the bell buoy and put up signal flags which said "Can't come in." Upon the arrival of the pilot boat at the pilot house there were many present to ask questions of those who had just come in but nothing definite could be learned.

Mr. Irvine of T. H. Davies & Co., went up to the office and held a conference with T. Clive Davies which resulted in the tug boat being ordered for 2 o'clock to again take the agent out.

Mr. Irvine was seen shortly after this conference and he stated that the captain had orders not to stop here. The reason why, he could not exactly say. There were but two passengers perfectly willing to go on through. No freight had been brought and, as there was hardly pay for the Aorangi to come in, it would hardly pay for the Aorangi to come in.

All the money received from business here would be eaten up by the expenses of entering. In other words, it wouldn't pay the Aorangi to come in.

Dr. Ameece, the quarantine officer reports that the Aorangi received orders from the home office in London to cease coming to this port and that the captain of the steamer was simply carrying out his instructions. The attorney of this port but he was willing to go on.

If it is a fact that a positive order has been given to cease calling at this port, it is strange that T. H. Davies & Co. should be bothering their heads about sending the tug boat to the steamer with Mr. Irvine. Evidently there is something more than appears at present on the surface. When asked if he thought the Aorangi would come in, Mr. Irvine answered in the negative.

The Custom House was asked if passengers and mail could be landed and fresh fruit put aboard the Aorangi without entering. Before this was fairly asked, the answer came in the shape of a great big No and that ended the matter.

In the meantime, a dozen or more intending passengers are anxiously awaiting the return of the tug boat in order to learn if the Aorangi will come in and carry them away. Among the number is the family of C. G. Ballenby. The poor clerks in the office